

## Declaration and Power of Attorney for Patent Application

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name,

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled **PROCESSING NEGOTIABLE ECONOMIC CREDITS THROUGH HAND HELD DEVICES**, the specification of which was filed on **October 6, 2000** as Application Serial Number **09/684,737**.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office all information known to me which is material to patentability (as defined in C.F.R. §1.56) in connection with the examination of this application.

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Prior Foreign Application(s)

Priority Claimed

(NONE)  
(Number) (Country) (Day/Month/Year Filed)

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YES NO

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(NONE)  
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